

Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend the paragraphs beginning at page 1, line 1 and ending on page 5, line 20 with the following amended paragraphs:

-- RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/165,627 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0184; 17601-003006) entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed June 7, 2002, ~~pending~~, issued December 30, 2003 as U.S. Patent 6,668,918, which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial Number 09,789,956 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0137; 17601-003002), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed February 20, 2001, issued November 12, 2002 as U.S. Patent 6,478,085, which is a divisional of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/444,029 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0104; 17601-003001), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed November 19, 1999, issued March 19, 2002 as U.S. Patent 6,357,523, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/197,687 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0103; 17601-002001), entitled METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF GAS FROM A COAL SEAM USING INTERSECTING WELL BORES, filed November 20, 1998, issued August 28, 2001 as U.S. Patent 6,280,000.

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/774,996 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0120; 17601-008001), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed January 30, 2001, ~~pending~~, issued December 16, 2003 as U.S. Patent 6,662,870.

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/123,561 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0193; 17601-009002), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN ZONES FROM A LIMITED SURFACE AREA, filed April 15, 2002, ~~pending~~, issued August 12, 2003 as U.S. Patent 6,604,580, which

is: (i) a divisional of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/773,217 (Attorney Docket NO. 067083.0113; **17601-009001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN ZONES FROM A LIMITED SURFACE AREA, filed January 30, 2001, issued July 30, 2002 as U.S. Patent 6,425,448 and (ii) a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/885,219 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0140; **17601-003005**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed June 20, 2001, issued May 13, 2003 as U.S. Patent 6,561,288, ~~which is~~ which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/444,029 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0104; **17601-003001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed November 19, 1999, issued March 19, 2002 as U.S. Patent 6,357,523, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/197,687 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0103; **17601-002001**), entitled METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF GAS FROM A COAL SEAM USING INTERSECTING WELL BORES, filed November 20, 1998, issued August 28, 2001 as U.S. Patent 6,280,000.

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/046,001 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0134; **17601-012001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGEMENT OF BY-PRODUCTS FROM SUBTERRANEAN ZONES, filed October 19, 2001, **pending issued January 27, 2004 as U.S. Patent 6,681,855.**

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/079,794 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0135; **17601-017001**), entitled ACOUSTIC POSITION MEASUREMENT SYSTEM FOR WELLBORE FORMATION, filed February 19, 2002, **pending issued January 24, 2006 as U.S. Patent 6,988,566.**

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/004,316 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0162; **17601-020001**), entitled SLANT ENTRY WELL SYSTEM AND METHOD, filed October 30, 2001, **pending issued May 23, 2006 as U.S. Patent 7,048,049.**

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/160,425 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0166; **17601-021001**), entitled WEDGE

ACTIVATED UNDERREAMER, filed May 31, 2002, **pending issued November 8, 2005 as U.S. Patent 6,962,216.**

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/194,366 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0176; **17601-024001**), entitled UNDULATING WELL BORE, filed July 12, 2002, **pending issued March 23, 2004 as U.S. Patent 6,708,764.**

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/227,057 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0181; **17601-026001**), entitled SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SUBTERRANEAN ACCESS, filed August 22, 2002, pending, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/774,996 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0120; **17601-008001**), filed January 30, 2001 entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING A SUBTERRANEAN ZONE FROM A LIMITED SURFACE AREA, **pending issued December 16, 2003 as U.S. Patent 6,662,870.**

This application is also continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/323,192 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0195; **17601-034001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CIRCULATING FLUID IN A WELL SYSTEM, filed ~~December~~ **December** 18, 2002, **pending issued April 11, 2006 as U.S. Patent 7,025,154**, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/788,897 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0138; **17601-003003**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed February 20, 2001, **pending issued May 11, 2004 as U.S. Patent 6,732,792**, which is a divisional of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/444,029 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0104; **17601-003001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed November 19, 1999, issued March 19, 2002 as U.S. Patent 6,357,523, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/197,687 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0103; **17601-002001**), entitled METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF GAS FROM A COAL SEAM USING INTERSECTING WELL BORES, filed November 20, 1998, issued August 28, 2001 as U.S. Patent 6,280,000.

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/264,535 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0197; **17601-035001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR REMOVING FLUID FROM A SUBTERRANEAN ZONE USING AN ENLARGED CAVITY, filed October 3, 2002, **pending issued January 24, 2006 as U.S. Patent 6,988,548.**

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/244,082 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0187; **17601-031001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CONTROLLING PRESSURE IN A DUAL WELL SYSTEM, filed September 12, 2002, **pending issued July 11, 2006 as U.S. Patent 7,073,595.**

This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/769,098 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0118; **17601-136001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ENHANCED ACCESS TO A SUBTERRANEAN ZONE, filed January 24, 2001, **pending issued July 29, 2003 as U.S. Patent 6,598,686**, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial Number 09/696,338 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0117; **17601-010001**), entitled CAVITY WELL POSITIONING SYSTEM AND METHOD, filed October 24, 2000, issued September 24, 2002 as U.S. Patent 6,454,000, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/444,029 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0104; **17601-003001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ACCESSING SUBTERRANEAN DEPOSITS FROM THE SURFACE, filed November 19, 1999, issued March 19, 2002 as U.S. Patent 6,357,523, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/197,687 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0103; **17601-002001**), entitled METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF GAS FROM A COAL SEAM USING INTERSECTING WELL BORES, filed November 20, 1998, issued August 28, 2001 as U.S. Patent 6,280,000.

This application is also a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Number 10/003,917 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0161; **17601-019001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR SURFACE PRODUCT OF GAS FROM A SUBTERRANEAN ZONE, filed November 1, 2001, pending, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial Number 09/444,029 (Attorney Docket No. 067083.0104; **17601-003001**), entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR

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